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12-12-03**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants: Hausen, Bernard A.; et. al.
Assignee: Cardica, Inc.
Title: Method and System for Performing Closed-Chest Bypass Graft Surgery
Serial No.: 09/993,438 Filing Date: November 13, 2001
Examiner: Paul A. Roberts Group Art Unit: 3738
Docket No.: 032405-059

December 9, 2003

Commissioner For Patents
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CORRECTED RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

This communication is in response to the Office Action of December 3, 2003.

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